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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

10:00 Informal consultations (closed) — Economic and Social Council Chamber

On a draft resolution for adoption by the General Assembly during the high-level meeting on peacebuilding and sustaining peace

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Fifth Committee
First part of the resumed session

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations [item 149]	
	Results of the survey to support the review of the standard rate of reimbursement to troop- and police-contributing countries	
	A/72/728 and A/72/771	
15:00 to 18:00	34th meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 3
	Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee during the first part of the resumed session of the General Assembly	
	Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal	

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Shifting the management paradigm in the United Nations: ensuring a better future for all – Comprehensive Report	
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

International Civil Service Commission
Eighty-sixth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 1
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 1

Security Council

10:00	Closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	The President of the Security Council for the month of March (Netherlands) will provide a briefing for States Members of the United Nations that are non-members of the Council on its work for the month.	
	Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Security Council, Room S-2472, or e-mailed to dpa-scsb3@un.org. For queries, please call 212-963-5258. For more information, please visit the website of the Presidency of the Security Council (please *click here*).	

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

15:00 to 16:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7
	Joint informal meeting with the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning ISIL (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities and the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)	
	Adoption of the agenda	
	Briefing by the Global Counter-Terrorism Forum (GCTF)	
	Other matters	
16:00 to 18:00	329th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7
	Adoption of the agenda	
	Presentation of the preliminary conclusions of the focused visit to Switzerland	
	Update on the workshop on promoting the adoption and implementation of national strategies to counter violent extremism	
	Other matters	

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

10:30 to 13:00	Informal consultations	Conference Room 6
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations	Conference Room 6
	On the draft conclusions and recommendations of the 2018 Economic and Social Council forum on financing for development follow-up	
	Convened by the co-facilitators (Jamaica and Portugal), on behalf of the Presidency of the Council (the Czech Republic)	
	Links: e-deleGATE Portal, Website and http://www.un.org/esa/ffd/ffdforum/	

Commission on Population and Development

Fifty-first session

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 12
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 12
	Informal consultations on the draft resolution on the special theme of the Commission on Population and Development, convened by the facilitator, the Vice-Chair (South Africa)	

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

10:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 1
	On the repositioning of the United Nations development system in the context of General Assembly resolution 71/243 on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review of the United Nations operational activities for development	

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

Thursday, 5 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Interactive dialogue between permanent missions and the Secretariat	
	Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 19 January 2018 and 16 March 2018, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.	

Tuesday, 24 April 2018

09:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
15:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall

Wednesday, 25 April 2018

10:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
15:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level meeting on peacebuilding and sustaining peace, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 70/262.	
	Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should do so through the e-deleGATE portal.	
	Additional information is available on the website of the Office of the President of the General Assembly	
	Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 21 November 2017, 15 December 2017 and 7 March 2018, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.	

Tuesday, 24 April 2018

15:00	Interactive Dialogue I [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
16:35	Interactive Dialogue II [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Wednesday, 25 April 2018

10:00	Interactive Dialogue III [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
11:35	Interactive Dialogue IV [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

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Delegations wishing to register their interest to speak are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (muturi@un.org).

Additional information is available on the website of the Office of the President of the General Assembly.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 23 March 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Intergovernmental conference and its preparatory process to adopt a global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 2
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 2

On the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

Member states, observers, United Nations entities and stakeholders accredited to the preparatory process are invited to attend.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 26 March 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The Co-facilitators to lead the intergovernmental consultations and negotiations on issues related to the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration will hold an informal dialogue with stakeholders on Thursday, 5 April 2018, and on Friday, 6 April 2018, from 09:00 to 10:00.

Disarmament Commission

Monday, 2 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Opening meeting	Conference Room 3

The Disarmament Commission will hold its 2018 substantive session from Monday, 2 April 2018, to Friday, 20 April 2018.

The opening meeting will take place on Monday, 2 April 2018 at 10:00, in Conference Room 3 (A/CN.10/L.80/Rev.1).

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of participants are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

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Further information is available on the Disarmament Commission website (*click here*) or contact Mr. Alexander Lomaia, Secretary of the Commission (lomaia@un.org); Ms. Christa Giles, Deputy Secretary of the Commission (giles@un.org); Ms. Lidija Komatina, List of speakers, (komatina@un.org) or Mr. Martin Vrastiak, List of Participants (vrastiak@un.org). For the Accessibility Centre, please *click here*.

Committee on Contributions
Seventy-eighth session

Monday, 4 June 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 11

The seventy-eighth session of the Committee on Contributions will be held at Headquarters from Monday, 4 June 2018 to Friday, 29 June 2018.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, *inter alia*, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Assembly also decided that requests for exemption under Article 19 must be submitted by Member States *at least two weeks* before the session of the Committee on Contributions, so as to ensure a full review of the requests. Accordingly, any such requests should be received by the President of the General Assembly *no later than Friday, 18 May 2018*.

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 70/245.

Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the secretariat of the Committee for further information (405 East 42nd Street, S-2115; tel. 212-963-4975; fax 212-963-1943; or by e-mail to contributions@un.org).

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

Monday, 9 April 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 7

Adoption of the agenda

Programme of Work of the Panel of Experts on the Sudan under resolution 2400 (2018)

Other matters

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

Coordination and management meeting

Monday, 16 April 2018

15:00 to 18:00 [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Basic programme of work of the Council [item 3]

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments [item 4]

Additional information is available on the website of the Council. For further information, please contact the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

A list of candidates for the election, as well as supporting documentation, can be consulted on Candiweb.

Delegations and Chairs of the regional groups wishing to nominate candidates are kindly requested to send their correspondence no later than 30 March 2018 to the secretariat of the Council.

Requests for inscription on the list of speakers by Member States and Observer States should be submitted through the ECOSOC e-Speakers module in e-deleGATE.

The time limit set for statements is *seven minutes* for speakers on behalf of groups and *five minutes* for statements by individual delegations.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should send, in writing, the full name and title of the speaker to the Office of the Secretary of the Council.

To circulate statements electronically, see PaperSmart link.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives and alternates attending this event should be registered through the ECOSOC e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

(E/2018/1, E/2018/2, E/2018/100, E/2018/1/Add.1, E/2018/9 and E/2018/9/Add.3, E/2018/9/Add.4, E/2018/9/Add.5, E/2018/9/Add.6, E/2018/9/Add.7, E/2018/9/Add.8, E/2018/9/Add.9, E/2018/9/Add.10, E/2018/9/Add.11, E/2018/9/Add.12, E/2018/9/Add.13 and E/2018/9/Add.14)

Links: PaperSmart, Candiweb, e-deleGATE Portal, Website, https://www.un.org/ecosoc/en/node/5143421, and https://www.un.org/ecosoc/sites/www.un.org.ecosoc/files/files/en/cmm/2018-april-cmm-programme.pdf

Contacts: ECOSOC Affairs Branch, elections to ECOSOC subsidiary bodies (ecosocelections@un.org, emelina@un.org, constablem@un.org); Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, DESA (agona@un.org); Office of the Secretary of ECOSOC, DGACM (leonc@un.org).

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 — 2018 Partnership Forum [webcast] — Trusteeship Council Chamber

All are invited to attend.

There will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

In order to provide for maximum participation, interventions will be limited to *three minutes* (*five minutes* for group statements).

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal, by 18:00, on Monday, 2 April 2018.

Since a flexible seating arrangement will be used, Member States that are not members of the Council, representatives of intergovernmental organizations, as well as of the United Nations system that wish to participate, should communicate their intention to participate to the secretariat of the Council, in order to be provided a seat in the conference room no later than 18:00, on 2 April 2018.

All others will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Additional information on the Partnership Forum, including the concept note and draft programme, is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For further details, please contact the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website or *click here*.

Contacts: Mr. Paul Simon, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, DESA (simonp@un.org); ECOSOC Affairs Branch (pricec@un.org).

Monday, 23 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 — Forum on financing for development follow-up — Trusteeship Council Chamber

The Forum will have universal, intergovernmental participation, utilizing the modalities of participation of the interr ational conferences on financing for development.

Additional information is available on the website of the Financing for Development Office.

Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be submitted through the ECOSOC e-Speakers module in e-deleGATE. Inscriptions on the list of speakers will close by 13:00, on 20 April 2018.

The time limit set for statements is *five minutes* for speakers on behalf of groups and *three minutes* for statements by individual delegations.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should send, in writing, the full name and title of the speaker to the Office of the Secretary of the Council.

To circulate statements electronically, see PaperSmart link.

All delegations are reminded to submit their nominations for participation, as soon as possible, to the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

There will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

In order to provide for maximum participation, interventions will be limited to *two minutes* (*four minutes* for group statements).

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives and alternates attending this event should be registered through the ECOSOC e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website and http://www.un.org/esa/ffd/ffdforum/2018-ffd-forum.html

Contacts: Office of the ECOSOC Secretary, DGACM: alejandrino@un.org; FFDO DESA, Ms. Anjali Rangaswami (ministerial participation); Mr. Tim Hilger (round tables participation): rangaswami@un.org and hilger@un.org.

Commission on Population and Development
Fifty-first session

Monday, 9 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 4

The Commission on Population and Development will hold its fifty-first substantive session from Monday, 9 to Friday, 13 April 2018.

(E/CN.9/2018/1, E/CN.9/2018/2, E/CN.9/2018/3, E/CN.9/2018/4, E/CN.9/2018/5, E/CN.9/2018/6, E/CN.9/2018/L.1 and E/CN.9/2018/L.2)

For participation and seating arrangements, members of the Commission wishing to attend the session are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat of the Commission.

Member States that are not members of the Commission, non-member States, observers, United Nations agencies, funds and programmes and Regional Commissions are also requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat in advance of the session.

Kindly note that only those observers who have confirmed their participation will be provided a nameplate on the floor of the conference room, on the opening day. All others will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Members and observers who wish to be included in the list of participants should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

The lists of speakers for all agenda items are open.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are advised that statements made by individual States should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*; and statements made by observers should not exceed *four minutes*.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail.

The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact the DGACM Help-desk.

Links: Side events, NGOs, Website, PaperSmart and e-deleGATE Portal.

Contacts: Mr. Henry Breed, Commission Secretary (breed@un.org); Mr. Tomas Casas, for inquiring regarding the e-list of speakers (casast@un.org); Mr. Victor Leu, for inquiries regarding the e-list of participants (leu@un.org); Mr. Dino Del Vasto (del-vasto@un.org).

Committee of Experts on Public Administration

Monday, 23 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 [webcast] Conference Room 1

Session 17 of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration will be held at Headquarters from Monday, 23 April to Friday, 27 April 2018.

Member States, non-Member States, observers, United Nations agencies, funds and programmes and Regional Commissions wishing to attend as observers are encouraged to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat in advance of the session by registering online.

Representatives from all regions of the world are welcome to attend the session.

E/C.16/2018/1, E/C.16/2018/2, E/C.16/2018/3, E/C.16/2018/3, E/C.16/2018/4, E/C.16/2018/5, E/C.16/2018/6 and E/C.16/2018/7

Links: Registration, NGOs, Website and PaperSmart

Contacts: Mr. Patrick Spearing, Secretary of the Committee spearing@un.org and Ms. Adriana Ribeiro (for inquiries regarding registration, conference support and logistics) ribeiroa@un.org

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 28 March 2018

Security Council

[archived video]

8218th meeting

United Nations peacekeeping operations

Collective Action to Improve UN Peacekeeping Operations

Letter dated 2 March 2018 from the Permanent Representative of the Netherlands to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/184)

The meeting was presided over by His Excellency Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

The agenda was adopted without objection.

In accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure, the President invited the representatives of Argentina, Bangladesh, Belgium, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of), Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Cuba, Cyprus, Djibouti, Egypt, El Salvador, Estonia, Fiji, Georgia, Germany, Guatemala, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Malaysia, Maldives, Mali, Mexico, Morocco, Nepal, Norway, Pakistan, the Philippines, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Africa, Spain, the Sudan, Switzerland, Thailand, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Republic of Tanzania, Uruguay and Viet Nam to participate in the meeting.

The President invited the following individuals to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure: His Excellency Moussa Faki Mahamat, Chairperson of the African Union Commission; Ms. Fatimata Touré, Director of Groupe de Recherche d'Étude de Formation Femme Action; and Her Excellency Joanne Adamson, Chargée d'affaires a.i., Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations to participate in the meeting.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The Council began its consideration of the item.

The Council heard a briefing by the Secretary-General, His Excellency António Guterres.

The Council heard briefings by His Excellency Moussa Faki Mahamat (via video-teleconference from Nouakchott) and Ms. Touré.

Statements were made by the President, His Excellency Mark Rutte, speaking in his capacity as Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands; and by His Excellency Hamed Bakayoko, Minister of State and Minister for Defence of Côte d'Ivoire; His Excellency Ibrahim Baylan, Minister for Policy Coordination and Energy of Sweden; Her Excellency Nikki Haley, Permanent Representative of the United States and Member of President Trump's Cabinet; His Excellency Marek Magierowski, Deputy Foreign Minister of Poland; His Excellency Talgat Mukhtarov, Deputy Minister for Defence of Kazakhstan; His Excellency Jean-Baptiste Lemoyne, Secretary of State attached to the Minister for Europe and Foreign Affairs of France; His Excellency Lord

Tariq Ahmad of Wimbledon, Minister of State for the Commonwealth and the United Nations of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland. Statements were made by the representatives of Peru, Ethiopia, Kuwait, the Russian Federation, China, Equatorial Guinea and the Plurinational State of Bolivia.

The Council heard statements by Her Excellency Retno Lestari Priansari Marsudi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Indonesia (speaking on behalf of the ten Member States of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)); His Excellency Heiko Maas, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Germany; His Excellency Jüri Luik, Minister for Defence of Estonia; His Excellency Harjit Singh Sajjan, Minister of National Defence of Canada (speaking on behalf of the Group of Friends of Women, Peace and Security, an informal network of 53 interested Member States chaired by Canada, representing all five regional groups of the United Nations); and His Excellency Samuel Moncada, Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs, Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (speaking on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM)).

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Lebanon, Brazil, Thailand, Japan, Norway (on behalf of the five Nordic countries: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Sweden and Norway), the Republic of Korea (on behalf of the Group of Friends of the United Nations Peace Operations: Ethiopia, Norway and the Republic of Korea), Ireland, Mexico, Guatemala, Argentina, Spain, India, Italy (on behalf of the Group of Friends of the Responsibility to Protect: fifty Member States and the European Union, and co-chaired this year by Italy and the State of Qatar) and Pakistan.

The Council heard a statement by Ms. Joanne Adamson (speaking on behalf of the European Union and its Member States; candidate countries Turkey, the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Serbia, Albania, the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina, as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Georgia, aligned themselves with the statement).

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Israel.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of the Holy See.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Lithuania, Slovakia, Portugal, the Philippines, El Salvador, Nepal, Djibouti, Jordan, Turkey, Slovenia, Uruguay, Belgium, Bangladesh, Ukraine, Morocco, the United Republic of Tanzania, Georgia, Colombia, South Africa, Switzerland, Cuba, Maldives, Mali, Egypt, Cyprus, Viet Nam, Latvia, Malaysia, Rwanda, Serbia, Fiji and the Sudan.

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

389th meeting

The summary of the 389th meeting of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2018/63).

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English* and *French only*.

Other meetings

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Thursday, 29 March 2018

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 2

Briefing entitled "Remember Slavery: Triumphs and Struggles for Freedom and Equality" (in observance of the International Day of Remembrance of the Victims of Slavery and the Transatlantic Slave Trade) (A/RES/62/122) (organized by the Department of Public Information Outreach Division)

15:00 to 16:30 [webcast] Conference Room 2

Contact: Ms. Paula Green, Outreach Division (e-mail greenp@un.org; tel. 212-963-7733)

To register: *click here.*

Non-Aligned Movement (monthly meeting) (at the ambassadorial level)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.*

Forthcoming other meetings

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Meeting of the Group of Friends of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (ambassadorial level) (A/RES/69/312) (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Ms. Anna Pavlyuchenko, UNAOC (annap@unops.org; 646-479-0914).

Special event entitled "Mine Action: Advancing Protection, Peace and Development" on the occasion of the International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action (A/RES/60/97) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany and the United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS))

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 6

All are invited. Contact: Ms. Larisa Khiryanova Ozawa, UNMAS (khiryanova@un.org; 917-367-4953). For further information, please *click here*.

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Material related to informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions, other meetings and side events should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 212-963-3888 and 963-0493; *Secretariat Building, 12th Floor*). The *deadline* for submissions is 18:00, at least *two days in advance*.

The office of the Journal Unit opens at 15:00.

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Security Council

11:30 — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

Programme of work

Other matters

The President of the Security Council for the month of April (Peru) will provide a briefing for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council on its work for the month, on Monday, 2 April 2018, at 12:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

The President of the Security Council will also provide a briefing to the press on the programme of work for the month, on Monday, 2 April 2018, at 13:00, in the Press Briefing Room (S-0237). Delegations can view the press briefing from the United Nations Webcast. [webcast]

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS)	
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2018 to 30 June 2019	

Disarmament Commission

10:00 to 13:00	369th meeting	Conference Room 3
	Opening of the session	
	Adoption of the agenda	
	Organization of work	
	General debate	
	A/CN.10/L.80/Rev.1 and A/CN.10/212	
15:00 to 18:00	370th meeting	Conference Room 3
	General debate	
	A/CN.10/L.80/Rev.1 and A/CN.10/212	
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	Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of participants are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.	
	An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.	
	Further information is available on the Disarmament Commission website (*click here*) or contact Mr. Alexander Lomaia, Secretary of the Commission (lomaia@un.org); Ms. Christa Giles, Deputy Secretary of the Commission (giles@un.org); Ms. Lidija Komatina, List of speakers, (komatina@un.org) or Mr. Martin Vrastiak, List of Participants (vrastiak@un.org). For the Accessibility Centre, please *click here*.	

Security Council

Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa

15:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

15:00	81st plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Global health and foreign policy [item 127]	
	Draft resolution (A/72/L.40)	
	Report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/811 (to be issued))	
	Programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 [item 136]	
	Report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/681/Add.1 (to be issued))	
	Joint Inspection Unit [item 142]	
	Report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/810 (to be issued))	
	Financing of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals [item 148]	
	Report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/669/Add.1 (to be issued))	
	Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [item 134]	
	Report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/682/Add.1 (to be issued))	

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

15:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 1
	On the repositioning of the United Nations development system in the context of General Assembly resolution 71/243 on the quadrennial comprehensive policy review of the United Nations operational activities for development	

Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly

Thursday, 5 April 2018

10:00	Interactive dialogue (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber
	Interactive dialogue between permanent missions and the Secretariat	
	Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 19 January 2018 and 16 March 2018, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.	

Tuesday, 24 April 2018

09:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
15:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall

Wednesday, 25 April 2018

10:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
15:00	High-level meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level meeting on peacebuilding and sustaining peace, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 70/262.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Additional information is available on the website of the Office of the President of the General Assembly

Letters from the President of the General Assembly, dated 21 November 2017, 15 December 2017 and 7 March 2018, were sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Tuesday, 24 April 2018

15:00	Interactive Dialogue I [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
16:35	Interactive Dialogue II [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

Wednesday, 25 April 2018

10:00	Interactive Dialogue III [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber
11:35	Interactive Dialogue IV [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber

The President of the General Assembly will convene a high-level meeting on peacebuilding and sustaining peace, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 70/262.

Delegations wishing to register their interest to speak are invited to contact the General Assembly Affairs Branch (muturi@un.org).

Additional information is available on the website of the Office of the President of the General Assembly.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 23 March 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Intergovernmental conference and its preparatory process to adopt a global compact for safe, orderly and regular migration

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 2
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 2

On the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration

Member states, observers, United Nations entities and stakeholders accredited to the preparatory process are invited to attend.

A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 26 March 2018, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

The Co-facilitators to lead the intergovernmental consultations and negotiations on issues related to the Global Compact for Safe, Orderly and Regular Migration will hold an informal dialogue with stakeholders on Thursday, 5 April 2018, and on Friday, 6 April 2018, from 09:00 to 10:00.

Committee on Contributions
Seventy-eighth session

Monday, 4 June 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 11

The seventy-eighth session of the Committee on Contributions will be held at Headquarters from Monday, 4 June 2018 to Friday, 29 June 2018.

The attention of any Member States intending to request an exemption under Article 19 of the Charter of the United Nations is drawn to the provisions of General Assembly resolution 54/237 C, in which the Assembly, *inter alia*, urges such Member States to provide the fullest possible supporting information.

The Assembly also decided that requests for exemption under Article 19 must be submitted by Member States *at least two weeks* before the session of the Committee on Contributions, so as to ensure a full review of the requests. Accordingly, any such requests should be received by the President of the General Assembly *no later than Friday, 18 May 2018*.

The Committee on Contributions will also be considering multi-year payment plans submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 57/4 B, as reaffirmed in resolution 70/245.

Any Member States intending to submit such a plan are also invited to contact the secretariat of the Committee for further information (405 East 42nd Street, S-2115; tel. 212-963-4975; fax 212-963-1943; or by e-mail to contributions@un.org).

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 7

Adoption of the agenda

Letter dated 7 March 2018 from the Coordinator of the Panel of Experts on Libya

Other matters

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

Monday, 9 April 2018

15:00 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 7

Adoption of the agenda

Programme of Work of the Panel of Experts on the Sudan under resolution 2400 (2018)

Other matters

Economic and Social Council

2018 session

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

15:00 to 15:10 15th plenary meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Action on draft proposals

E/2018/L.6

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments [item 4]

Plenary meeting of the Council, to hold elections to fill regular and outstanding vacancies in its subsidiary bodies.

Commission on Population and Development

Links: PaperSmart, Candiweb, e-deleGATE Portal and Website

Coordination and management meeting

Monday, 16 April 2018

15:00 to 18:00 [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Basic programme of work of the Council [item 3]

Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments [item 4]

Additional information is available on the website of the Council. For further information, please contact the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

A list of candidates for the election, as well as supporting documentation, can be consulted on Candiweb.

Delegations and Chairs of the regional groups wishing to nominate candidates are kindly requested to send their correspondence no later than 30 March 2018 to the secretariat of the Council.

Requests for inscription on the list of speakers by Member States and Observer States should be submitted through the ECOSOC e-Speakers module in e-deleGATE.

The time limit set for statements is *seven minutes* for speakers on behalf of groups and *five minutes* for statements by individual delegations.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should send, in writing, the full name and title of the speaker to the Office of the Secretary of the Council.

To circulate statements electronically, see PaperSmart link.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives and alternates attending this event should be registered through the ECOSOC e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

(E/2018/1, E/2018/2, E/2018/100, E/2018/1/Add.1, E/2018/9 and E/2018/9/Add.3, E/2018/9/Add.4, E/2018/9/Add.5, E/2018/9/Add.6, E/2018/9/Add.7, E/2018/9/Add.8, E/2018/9/Add.9, E/2018/9/Add.10, E/2018/9/Add.11, E/2018/9/Add.12, E/2018/9/Add.13 and E/2018/9/Add.14)

Links: PaperSmart, Candiweb, e-deleGATE Portal, Website, https://www.un.org/ecosoc/en/node/5143421, and https://www.un.org/ecosoc/sites/www.un.org.ecosoc/files/files/en/cmm2018-april-cmm-programme.pdf

Contacts: ECOSOC Affairs Branch, elections to ECOSOC subsidiary bodies (ecosocelections@un.org, emelina@un.org, constablem@un.org); Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, DESA (agona@un.org); Office of the Secretary of ECOSOC, DGACM (leonc@un.org).

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 **2018 Partnership Forum** [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

All are invited to attend.

There will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

In order to provide for maximum participation, interventions will be limited to *three minutes* (*five minutes* for group statements).

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal, by 18:00, on Monday, 2 April 2018.

Since a flexible seating arrangement will be used, Member States that are not members of the Council, representatives of intergovernmental organizations, as well as of the United Nations system that wish to participate, should communicate their intention to

participate to the secretariat of the Council, in order to be provided a seat in the conference room no later than 18:00, on 2 April 2018.

All others will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Additional information on the Partnership Forum, including the concept note and draft programme, is available on the website of the Economic and Social Council.

For further details, please contact the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website or *click here*.

Contacts: Mr. Paul Simon, Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, DESA (simonp@un.org); ECOSOC Affairs Branch (pricec@un.org).

Monday, 23 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Forum on financing for development follow-up Trusteeship Council Chamber

The Forum will have universal, intergovernmental participation, utilizing the modalities of participation of the international conferences on financing for development.

Additional information is available on the website of the Financing for Development Office.

Requests for inscription on the list of speakers should be submitted through the ECOSOC e-Speakers module in e-deleGATE. Inscriptions on the list of speakers will close by 13:00, on 20 April 2018.

The time limit set for statements is *five minutes* for speakers on behalf of groups and *three minutes* for statements by individual delegations.

Intergovernmental organizations and the United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers should send, in writing, the full name and title of the speaker to the Office of the Secretary of the Council.

To circulate statements electronically, see PaperSmart link.

All delegations are reminded to submit their nominations for participation, as soon as possible, to the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

There will be no pre-determined list of speakers and participants are requested to refrain from reading prepared statements.

In order to provide for maximum participation, interventions will be limited to *two minutes* (*four minutes* for group statements).

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives and alternates attending this event should be registered through the ECOSOC e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Links: PaperSmart, e-deleGATE Portal, Website and http://www.un.org/esa/ffd/ffdforum/2018-ffd-forum.html

Contacts: Office of the ECOSOC Secretary, DGACM: alejandrino@un.org; FFDO DESA, Ms. Anjali Rangaswami (ministerial participation); Mr. Tim Hilger (round tables participation): rangaswami@un.org and hilger@un.org.

Commission on Population and Development
Fifty-first session

Monday, 9 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 4

The Commission on Population and Development will hold its fifty-first substantive session from Monday, 9 to Friday, 13 April 2018.

(E/CN.9/2018/1, E/CN.9/2018/2, E/CN.9/2018/3, E/CN.9/2018/4, E/CN.9/2018/5, E/CN.9/2018/6, E/CN.9/2018/L.1 and E/CN.9/2018/L.2)

For participation and seating arrangements, members of the Commission wishing to attend the session are kindly requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat of the Commission.

Member States that are not members of the Commission, non-member States, observers, United Nations agencies, funds and programmes and Regional Commissions are also requested to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat in advance of the session.

Kindly note that only those observers who have confirmed their participation will be provided a nameplate on the floor of the conference room, on the opening day. All others will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.

Members and observers who wish to be included in the list of participants should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

The lists of speakers for all agenda items are open.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are advised that statements made by individual States should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*; and statements made by observers should not exceed *four minutes*.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail.

The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact the DGACM Help-desk.

Links: Side events, NGOs, Website, PaperSmart and e-deleGATE Portal.

Contacts: Mr. Henry Breed, Commission Secretary (breed@un.org); Mr. Tomas Casas, for inquiring regarding the e-list of speakers (casast@un.org); Mr. Victor Leu, for inquiries regarding the e-list of participants (leu@un.org); Mr. Dino Del Vasto (del-vasto@un.org).

Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues
Seventeenth session

Monday, 16 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 [webcast] General Assembly Hall

The Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues will hold its 17 substantive session from Monday, 16 April 2018, to Friday, 27 April 2018. The opening meeting will take place on Monday, 16 April 2018, at 11:00, in the General Assembly Hall.

E/C.19/2018/1 and E/C.19/2018/L.1

Members and observers who wish to be included in the list of participants should be registered through the ECOSOC/UNPFII e-List of participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Kindly be reminded that the observers who have not indicated their participation by Thursday, 12 April 2018, will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis, on the floor of the conference room, on the opening day.

The list of speakers will open on Monday, 2 April 2018.

Member States and United Nations bodies and specialized agencies wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for a particular item are requested to do so through the ECOSOC/UNPFII e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

To circulate statements electronically, see PaperSmart link.

For inquiries regarding user names and passwords, kindly contact the DGACM Help-desk.

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Contacts: Sangeeta Sharma, Secretary of the UNPFII (sharma7@un.org), Victor Leu, Office of the Secretary of the UNPFII (leu@un.org); Gerard Cianciulli, for inquiries regarding e-List of Speakers and e-List of Participants (cianciulli@un.org), Broddi Sigurdarson, UNPFII Secretariat, DESA (sigurdarson@un.org, 917-367-2106), Mirian Masaquiza, UNPFII Secretariat, DESA (masaquiza@un.org, 917-367-9607).

Committee of Experts on Public Administration

Monday, 23 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 [webcast] Conference Room 1

Session 17 of the Committee of Experts on Public Administration will be held at Headquarters from Monday, 23 to Friday, 27 April 2018.

Member States, non-Member States, observers, United Nations agencies, funds and programmes and Regional Commissions wishing to attend as observers are encouraged to communicate the composition of their delegations to the secretariat in advance of the session by registering online.

Representatives from all regions of the world are welcome to attend the session.

E/C.16/2018/1, E/C.16/2018/2, E/C.16/2018/3, E/C.16/2018/3, E/C.16/2018/4, E/C.16/2018/5, E/C.16/2018/6 and E/C.16/2018/7

Links: Registration, NGOs, Website and PaperSmart

Contacts: Mr. Patrick Spearing, Secretary of the Committee spearing@un.org and Ms. Adriana Ribeiro (for inquiries regarding registration, conference support and logistics) ribeiroa@un.org

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 28 March 2018

General Assembly
Seventy-second session

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

389th meeting

Adoption of the agenda

The Committee adopted the agenda of the meeting.

Update on the situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and developments in the political process

The Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine made a statement.

The Permanent Representative of Cuba made a statement.

The Representative of the Permanent Mission of Indonesia made a statement.

Report on Committee delegation visit to Uganda

The Permanent Representative of Afghanistan delivered the report on the Committee delegation's visit to Uganda in his capacity as Vice-Chair of the Committee.

Consideration of upcoming Committee activities: i) Committee delegation visit to Panama; ii) United Nations Forum on the question of Palestine to mark the 70th anniversary of the 1948 war and Nakbah in New York; iii) International conference on the question of Jerusalem in Rabat, Morocco

The Chair made a statement.

The Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine made a statement.

The Representative of the Permanent Mission of Morocco made a statement.

Briefing by UNRWA on recent developments

The Director of the UNRWA Representative office in New York made a statement.

The Chair made a statement.

The Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine made a statement.

Updates from Member States on their activities related to the question of Palestine

The Chair made a statement.

The Representative of the Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela made a statement.

Other matters

The Chair made a statement.

Thursday, 29 March 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Fifth Committee

First part of the resumed session

[archived video]

34th meeting

The Chair of the Committee called to order the 34th meeting of the Fifth Committee

Action on draft resolutions and decisions

Programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019 [item 136]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item.

Programme budget implications

The Chair of the Committee drew the attention of the Committee to document A/C.5/72/L.27 (to be issued), containing a draft decision on a statement of programme budget implications, which had been submitted on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Saudi Arabia.

The Committee adopted, without a vote, the draft decision.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the question.

Special subjects relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019

The Committee had before it draft resolution A/C.5/72/L.28 (to be issued), which had been coordinated by the representatives of Estonia and South Africa.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the questions and the agenda item at this stage.

Joint Inspection Unit [item 142]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item and had before it draft resolution A/C.5/72/L.26 (to be issued), which had been submitted on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Japan.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the agenda item.

Financing of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals [item 148]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item and had before it draft resolution A/C.5/72/L.25, which had been submitted on the basis of informal consultations coordinated by the representative of Colombia.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the agenda item.

Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [item 134]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item.

Questions deferred for future consideration

The Committee had before it draft decision A/C.5/72/L.29 (to be issued) submitted by the Chair.

The Committee adopted the draft decision without a vote.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the agenda item at this stage and of the previous agenda items and the Chair requested the Rapporteur to report directly thereon to the General Assembly.

Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee during the first part of the resumed seventy-second session of the General Assembly

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the European Union (on behalf of the Member States of the European Union), Canada (also on behalf of Australia and New Zealand (CANZ)), the United States, Japan, China and the Russian Federation.

The Chair of the Committee made a concluding statement and declared closed the work of the Fifth Committee during the first part of the resumed seventy-second session of the General Assembly.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English* and *French only*.

Other meetings

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Monday, 2 April 2018

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 11
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp*.

Forthcoming other meetings

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Meeting of the Group of Friends of the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (ambassadorial level) (A/RES/69/312) (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

Tuesday, 3 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Ms. Anna Pavlyuchenko, UNAOC (annap@unops.org; 646-479-0914).

Special event entitled "Mine Action: Advancing Protection, Peace and Development" on the occasion of the International Day for Mine Awareness and Assistance in Mine Action (A/RES/60/97) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Germany and the United Nations Mine Action Service (UNMAS))

Wednesday, 4 April 2018

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 6

All are invited. Contact: Ms. Larisa Khiryanova Ozawa, UNMAS (khiryanova@un.org; 917-367-4953). For further information, please *click here*.

High-level event on "Crime Prevention and Sustainable Development through Sports" (A/RES/67/296) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Colombia, Italy, Monaco, Qatar and Rwanda and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime)

Monday, 9 April 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

13:00 to 15:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Matteo Pasquali, UNODC (pasquali@un.org; tel. 212-963-5634).

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Material related to informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions, other meetings and side events should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 212-963-3888 and 963-0493; *Secretariat Building, 12th Floor*). The *deadline* for submissions is 18:00, at least *two days in advance*.

The office of the Journal Unit opens at 15:00.

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